

GARBAGE SEPARATION TABLE

*See **Garbage Collection Calendar** for what and when to dispose of.

◆ BURNABLE GARBAGE ◆

Diapers (Remove excretion before disposal.)
 Paper scraps
 Futons and carpets (Cut into pieces smaller than 50cm x 50cm.)
 Leather items

Biodegradable garbage
Recycle biodegradable garbage at home with composts.
 [Apply for the City's subsidy when you buy a compost.]

- Rubber items
- Desiccants
- Plastic items (with no recycling symbols)
- Other burnable items

◆ NON BURNABLE GARBAGE ◆

● Metal items

Razor blades
 Small metal items
 Spray cans
 Electric Appliances (Cordless only)
 Aluminum foil
 Disposable body warmers

● Glassware, ceramics/pottery

Sheet glass, glasses
 Glass containers for cosmetics
 Heat-resistance glassware, tableware
 Ceramics/Pottery

◆ Recyclable resources collected as **PLASTIC GARBAGE** ◆

*Rinse away dirt before disposal.

Items with plastic recycling symbols

Containers for washing up liquid, shampoo, conditioner and cosmetics
 Caps of bottles and containers
 Cups for pot noodles, custard puddings and dessert jellies
 Containers for boxed meals, natto and tofu
 Trays and film wrappings for meat, fish and prepared food
 Packages for eggs, fruits and hams
 Outer films for pot noodles and cigarette packages
 Plastic bags for vegetables, sweets and cosmetics, and shopping bags

- Plastic containers, bags and wrappings
- Mesh bags or nets for vegetables and fruits
- Styrofoam items

* Be aware that some of the vegetable or fruit mesh bags and cushioning materials for electric appliances may not have the plastic recycling symbols.
 * Dispose of heavily soiled items as burnable garbage.

◆ Resources collected on **RECYCLE** collection days ◆

*Rinse food or drink containers before disposal.

● Bottles for food or drinks

Clear and Colorless
 Brown Bottles
 Other colored bottles (blue, green, black etc.)

* Take milk, beer and 1.8 liter sake bottles back to retailers.

● Cans that contained food or drinks (including their caps and lids)

Cans for soft drinks, beer, food, sweets and pet food

* Be sure to dispose of aluminum and steel cans separately.

● PET bottles

Bottle shaped containers with PET symbols

* Remove caps and labels, and disposed of them as plastic garbage.

● Cooking oil used for tempura

Vegetable oil for cooking only.

* Remove crumbs before disposal.

● Paper cartons

Milk and soft drink cartons

* Cut open, rinse and dry before disposal.
 * Dispose of cartons with aluminum or plastic lining as "burnable" garbage.

● Batteries, fluorescent lamps and electric lamps

Batteries (Size D, C, AA, AAA, N and square shaped batteries)
 Fluorescent lamps, electric lamps

(Collected three times a year)

* Remove battery containers or bags before disposal.
 * Take cell batteries and car batteries back to the retailers.

These items can be accepted at Recycle Center and Bulky Garbage Center.

◆ Garbage accepted at **RECYCLE CENTER AND BULKY GARBAGE CENTER** ◆

Newspapers and fliers (Including envelopes and wrapping paper)
 Magazines (Magazines bound with paste or staples)
 Rags (Worn out cloths, blankets, bed sheets, towels, used clothes)

Paper cartons (Cigarette packages and confectionary containers)
 Cardboard boxes (A cross section must show flaps and grooves)

* Items disposed of as burnable garbage
 • Toilet paper cores
 • Paper for duplication such as carbon paper
 • Silver paper in cigarette package
 • Shredded paper
 • Pieces carrying private information such as envelopes

* Soiled items are not recyclable.

◆ LARGE-SIZED GARBAGE THAT CAN BE BROUGHT TO RECYCLE CENTER AND BULKY GARBAGE CENTER

(Household garbage only)

Electric appliances (With electric cords)
 Bicycles
 18 liter and more cans
 Kerosene heaters
 Sofas
 Furniture
 Tatami mats

- Personally removed solar powered water heaters
- Gas cookers
- Mowed grass
- Pruned branches
- And others

◆ GARBAGE NOT ACCEPTED AT RECYCLE CENTER AND BULKY GARBAGE CENTER

(Including business trash and industrial wastes)

Fire extinguishers, gas cylinders
 Motorcycles
 Tires
 Car batteries
 Pianos
 Plaster boards
 Fiber cement slates

- Waste caused by construction, renovation, demolition and drainage works by traders.
- Agricultural machinery
- Seeding boxes
- Sheets for rice field ridge path
- Agricultural chemicals
- Televisions
- Air conditioners
- Washing machines
- Refrigerators
- Freezers
- Personal computers
- Parts of automobiles and motorcycles
- Waste oil
- Paints
- And others